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In []: | ...
         Let's explore the functionality of the pdutils-dftidy method using a
         toy dataset. The dftidy method is used to tidy or clean the given data,
         including removing duplicate rows and user-defined columns, searching
         and replacing aberrant and missing values, encoding categorical and
         ordinal variables, generating temporal features, scaling data, and
         performing sanity checks. Please note that although this notebook does
         not represent an exhaustive examination of the dftime module's
         functionality, it does highlight a few key features of the method.
In [2]:
         Let's start with importing the main modules in the first cell. Once the
         modules are imported, the cell output confirms with a message that all
         imports have been imported!
         from copy import deepcopy
         import numpy as np
         import pandas as pd
         from pdutils.tidying.dftidy import dftidy
         print('All imports have been imported!')
       All imports have been imported!
In [13]: | ...
         Use the following toy dataframe to demo a few use cases.
         dfz = pd.DataFrame([5,200,15,np.nan,'nan',20,200,10,0,'M',5], columns=['Alpha'])
         dfz
Out[13]:
            Alpha
                        Date
          0
                5
                        NaN
          1
              200
               15 2022-01-01
              NaN 2023-02-01
              nan 2023-03-01
               20 2023-04-01
              200 2023-05-01
          6
          7
               10 2023-06-01
          8
                0 2023-07-01
          9
               M 2023-08-01
         10
                5
                        NaN
 In []: | ...
         Note that 200 in the 'Alaba' selima and 2022 01 01 in the 'Data'
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tidy the data.
          Replace the aberrant values with the correct values of 20 and
          2023-01-01, respectively. We will execute this step by deploying
          3 different methods available with dftidy():
          (a) search_col + search_str + replace_val
          (b) search_col + replace_val + sce_col_ls + sce_key_ls
              (associated with the dfreplace() method)
          (c) range_check + range_col_ls + range_dat_ls + range_resolve +
              range_remedy (associated with the check_range() method)
           Note: These 3 methods may NOT be applicable in every use case.
           (d) As an alternativ, of course, you can drop the rows that
               contain aberrant data points (if actual values are unknown
               and eliminating data points is an option).
In [10]:
         1111
          (a) search_col + search_str + replace_val
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          dfza = deepcopy(dfz)
          dfza = dfza.dftidy(search_col='Alpha', search_str=200, replace_val=20)
          dfza.dftidy(search_col='Date', search_str='2022-01-01', replace_val='2023-01-01')
        seed
                   : 100
        do_null_vals: False
        search_col : Alpha
        search_str : 200
        replace_val : 20
        *** Done replacing 200 in col Alpha.
        *** Warning! Dataframe contains null values!
        *** No encoding was performed.
                   : 100
        do_null_vals: False
        search_col : Date
        search_str : 2022-01-01
        replace_val : 2023-01-01
        *** Done replacing 2022-01-01 in col Date.
        *** Warning! Dataframe contains null values!
        *** No encoding was performed.
Out[10]:
             Alpha
                         Date
          0
                 5
                          NaN
           1
                20
                   2023-01-01
          3
              NaN 2023-02-01
          4
               nan 2023-03-01
                20 2023-04-01
          5
          6
                20 2023-05-01
          7
                10 2023-06-01
          8
                 0 2023-07-01
          9
                M 2023-08-01
         10
                 5
                          NaN
In [12]:
          (b) search_col + replace_val + sce_col_ls + sce_key_ls
              (associated with the dfreplace() method)
              The code chunk used in this cell comprises:
              - The line of code to home in on the value of 200 in the target (`Alpha`)
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Note that ZUU in the Aipha column and ZUZZZ=UI=UI in the Date column appear to be aberrant data points. We will use dftidy() to

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column, contingent on the keyword ' ' in the source column `Date`, and
                replace the target value with 20.
              - The line of code to replace the second aberrant value of 200 in `Alpha`
                based on the specified `Date` column value (keyword).
              - The line of code to replace the value in the `Date` column contingent
                on the keyword in the 'Alpha' column.
          111
          print(dfz)
          dfzb = deepcopy(dfz)
          dfzb = dfzb.dftidy(search_col='Alpha', replace_val=20, sce_col_ls=['Date'], sce_key_ls=[' ']
          dfzb = dfzb.dftidy(search_col='Alpha', replace_val=20, sce_col_ls=['Date'], sce_key_ls=['2023-05-01'] )
          dfzb.dftidy(search_col='Date', replace_val='2023-01-01', sce_col_ls=['Alpha'], sce_key_ls=[15] )
           Alpha
                        Date
        0
                         NaN
        1
             200
              15 2022-01-01
        2
             NaN 2023-02-01
        3
        4
             nan 2023-03-01
        5
              20 2023-04-01
             200 2023-05-01
        6
             10 2023-06-01
        8
              0 2023-07-01
        9
                 2023-08-01
               М
        10
               5
                         NaN
                    : 100
        do_null_vals: False
        search_col : Alpha
search_str : None
        replace_val : 20
        *** Warning! Dataframe contains null values!
        *** No encoding was performed.
                  : 100
        do_null_vals: False
        search_col : Alpha
search_str : None
        replace_val : 20
        *** Warning! Dataframe contains null values!
        *** No encoding was performed.
                   : 100
        seed
        do_null_vals: False
        search_col : Date
        search_str : None
        replace_val : 2023-01-01
        *** Warning! Dataframe contains null values!
        *** No encoding was performed.
Out[12]:
             Alpha
                         Date
          0
                          NaN
           1
                20
                15 2023-01-01
          3
               NaN 2023-02-01
          4
               nan 2023-03-01
          5
                20 2023-04-01
                20 2023-05-01
          6
          7
                10 2023-06-01
          8
                 0 2023-07-01
```

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10

M 2023-08-01

NaN

5

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np.nan.
              - Within dftidy(), activate range_check, specify target
                columns where desired replacements are needed, pass the
               min-max range values for the target columns, and
               instruct the method to resolve any range check issues.
         print(dfz)
         dfzc = deepcopy(dfz)
         dfzc = dfzc.dftidy(do_null_vals=True)
         dfzc = dfzc.dftidy(range_check=True, range_col_ls=['Alpha', 'Date'],
                            range_dat_ls=[[0,20],['2023-01-01','2023-08-01']],
                            range_resolve=True)
         dfzc
          Alpha
                        Date
       0
              5
                         NaN
       1
            200
             15 2022-01-01
       3
            NaN 2023-02-01
            nan 2023-03-01
       4
             20 2023-04-01
       5
            200 2023-05-01
       7
             10 2023-06-01
       8
              0
                 2023-07-01
              M 2023-08-01
       9
       10
                        NaN
                    : 100
       do_null_vals: True
       search_ls : ['NaN', 'nan', 'unknown', 'NA', 'na', 'N/A', 'M', '', ' ']
*** Done replacing missing value variants in ['NaN', 'nan', 'unknown', 'NA', 'na', 'N/A', 'M', '', ' '] wit
       h np.nan. Total replacements made: 3.
       search_col : None
       search_str : None
       replace_val : None
       null counts: [3, 3]
       uniq counts: [6, 8]
       Summary of metric choice for null value replacement:
       *** Warning! Dataframe contains null values!
       *** No encoding was performed.
       seed
                   : 100
       do_null_vals: False
       search_col : None
       search_str : None
       replace_val : None
       *** Warning! Dataframe contains null values!
       *** No encoding was performed.
       data_range : [0, 20]
       remedy
                   : [0, 20]
       *** Attempting numeric conversion of the target column for check_range()...
       *** Done converting column 'Alpha' to numeric dtype.
       *** Proceeding with range check...
       *** Found 2 range violations.
       *** Proceeding to resolve range violations...
       *** Warning! Found string type in data_range. Attempting to convert to numeric...
       *** Numeric conversion failed.
       *** Attempting to convert the range elements to datetime...
       data_range : [2023-01-01 00:00:00, 2023-08-01 00:00:00]
                   : [2023-01-01 00:00:00, 2023-08-01 00:00:00]
       remedy
       *** Attempting numeric conversion of the target column for check_range()...
       An exception of type ValueError occurred (Unable to parse string "2022-01-01" at position 2)...Skipping con
       version of column 'Date' to numeric dtype...
       *** Attempting datetime conversion of string elements in the target column for check_range()...
       *** Done converting column 'Date' to datetime dtype.
       *** Proceeding with range check...
       *** Found 1 range violations.
       *** Proceeding to resolve range violations...
       *** Done!
Out[4]:
            Alpha
                         Date
         0
               5.0
                          NaT
              20.0
          1
                          NaT
              15.0 2023-01-01
              NaN 2023-02-01
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NaN 2023-03-01
              20.0 2023-04-01
              20.0 2023-05-01
          7
              10.0 2023-06-01
                   2023-07-01
          8
               0.0
          9
              NaN 2023-08-01
         10
               5.0
                          NaT
In [7]:
         111
          (d) Drop the rows that contain aberrant data points
              by applying search_col + search_str + drop_row in
              dftidy() for row removals. Recall that 200 in the
              `Alpha` column and 2022-01-01 in the `Date` column
              are identified as aberrant data points. Accordingly,
              there are 3 aberrant rows (with indexes 1, 2, and 6
              in the source dataframe).
         print(dfz)
         dfzd = deepcopy(dfz)
         dfzd = dfzd.dftidy(search_col='Alpha', search_str=200, drop_row=True)
dfzd.dftidy(search_col='Date', search_str='2022-01-01', drop_row=True)
           Alpha
                        Date
       0
              5
                         NaN
             200
       1
              15 2022-01-01
       2
       3
             NaN 2023-02-01
             nan 2023-03-01
       4
       5
                  2023-04-01
              20
             200 2023-05-01
       6
             10 2023-06-01
       8
                  2023-07-01
               a
       9
                  2023-08-01
       10
                         NaN
                    : 100
       seed
       do_null_vals: False
       search_col : Alpha
       search_str : 200
       replace val : None
       *** Done dropping rows that contain 200 in col Alpha.
       *** Warning! Dataframe contains null values!
       *** No encoding was performed.
       seed
                  : 100
       do_null_vals: False
       search_col : Date
       search_str : 2022-01-01
        replace_val : None
       *** Done dropping rows that contain 2022-01-01 in col Date.
       *** Warning! Dataframe contains null values!
       *** No encoding was performed.
Out[7]:
             Alpha
                          Date
          0
                          NaN
          3
              NaN 2023-02-01
          4
               nan 2023-03-01
          5
                20 2023-04-01
          7
                10 2023-06-01
          8
                 0 2023-07-01
          9
                M 2023-08-01
         10
                          NaN
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In [4]: | 111
         Use dftidy() to perform imputations where null values appear.
         - As a preliminary step, replace aberrant values in the source
           dataframe so that the aberrations are not propagated in the
           input dataframe. For this use case, we employ the range_check
           method -- part (d) above.
         - Use the default metric ('mode') in dftidy() for imputing null
           values.
         Note:
         - The console log associated with dftidy() execution also shows
           the potential outlier column(s) and the corresponding indexes
           referencing possible outliers.
         - See Jupyter notebooks on functional testing of imputation >
           dfavg_1 and dfavg_2.
         print(dfz)
         dfz2 = deepcopy(dfz)
         print('-
         dfz2 = dfz2.dftidy(do_null_vals=True)
         dfz2 = dfz2.dftidy(range_check=True, range_col_ls=['Alpha', 'Date'],
                             range_dat_ls=[[0,20],['2023-01-01','2023-08-01']],
                             range_resolve=True)
         print(dfz2)
         print('-
         dfz2.dftidy(fillna=True)
          Alpha
                        Date
       0
                         NaN
            200
       1
       2
             15 2022-01-01
       3
            NaN 2023-02-01
            nan 2023-03-01
       4
             20 2023-04-01
       5
       6
            200 2023-05-01
       7
             10 2023-06-01
       8
              a
                 2023-07-01
       9
              M 2023-08-01
       10
              5
                         NaN
       seed
                  : 100
       do_null_vals: True
       search_ls : ['NaN', 'nan', 'unknown', 'NA', 'na', 'N/A', 'M', '', ' ']
*** Done replacing missing value variants in ['NaN', 'nan', 'unknown', 'NA', 'na', 'N/A', 'M', '', ' '] wit
       h np.nan. Total replacements made: 3.
       search_col : None
       search_str : None
replace_val : None
       null counts: [3, 3]
       uniq counts : [6, 8]
       Summary of metric choice for null value replacement:
            col metric
                              value
       0 Alpha mode
                                5.0
       1 Date mode 2022-01-01
       *** Warning! Dataframe contains null values!
       *** No encoding was performed.
                   : 100
       do_null_vals: False
       search_col : None
       search_str : None
       replace_val : None
       *** Warning! Dataframe contains null values!
       *** No encoding was performed.
       data_range : [0, 20]
       remedy
                   : [0, 20]
       *** Attempting numeric conversion of the target column for check_range()...
       *** Done converting column 'Alpha' to numeric dtype.
       *** Proceeding with range check...
       *** Found 2 range violations.
       *** Proceeding to resolve range violations...
       *** Done!
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*** Warning! Found string type in data_range. Attempting to convert to numeric...

*** Attempting to convert the range elements to datetime... data_range : [2023-01-01 00:00:00, 2023-08-01 00:00:00]

: [2023-01-01 00:00:00, 2023-08-01 00:00:00]

*** Numeric conversion failed.

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*** Attempting numeric conversion of the target column for check_range()...
       An exception of type ValueError occurred (Unable to parse string "2022-01-01" at position 2)...Skipping con
       version of column 'Date' to numeric dtype...
       *** Attempting datetime conversion of string elements in the target column for check_range()...
       *** Done converting column 'Date' to datetime dtype.
       *** Proceeding with range check...
       *** Found 1 range violations.
       *** Proceeding to resolve range violations...
       *** Done!
           Alpha
                         Date
       0
             5.0
                          NaT
       1
            20.0
                          NaT
            15.0 2023-01-01
       2
       3
             NaN 2023-02-01
       4
             NaN
                  2023-03-01
       5
            20.0 2023-04-01
       6
            20.0 2023-05-01
       7
            10.0
                  2023-06-01
       8
             0.0
                   2023-07-01
             NaN
                  2023-08-01
       10
             5.0
                          NaT
       seed
                    : 100
       do_null_vals: True
       search\_\overline{l}s \quad : \ ['NaN', \ 'nan', \ 'unknown', \ 'NA', \ 'na', \ 'N/A', \ 'M', \ '', \ '\ ']
       search_col : None
       search_str : None
       replace_val : None
       null counts : [3, 3]
       uniq counts: [5, 8]
       Summary of metric choice for null value replacement:
            col metric
                              value
       0
         Alpha
                               20.0
                  mode
                  mode 2023-01-01
       1
          Date
       *** Proceeding to treat null values...
       *** Done replacing null values in dataframe.
       *** No encoding was performed.
       *** Proceeding with outlier detection using ensemble method...
       *** Done converting column 'Alpha' to numeric dtype.
       An exception of type TypeError occurred (Invalid object type at position 0)...Skipping conversion of column
       'Date' to numeric dtype...
       out_ls : ['Alpha']
       idx_ls : [[8]]
       *** Found common row indexes across outliers: [8]
       Table showing column values corresponding to row indexes that may be
       associated with outliers (outlier columns are denoted by an asterisk)
           Alpha*
                          Date
       Row
              0.0
                   2023-07-01
Out[4]:
            Alpha
                         Date
               5.0
                   2023-01-01
         0
          1
              20.0
                   2023-01-01
         2
              15.0
                   2023-01-01
              20.0 2023-02-01
         3
         Δ
              20.0 2023-03-01
         5
              20.0 2023-04-01
              20.0 2023-05-01
         7
              10.0 2023-06-01
         8
               0.0 2023-07-01
         9
              20.0 2023-08-01
         10
               5.0 2023-01-01
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In [6]:

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The code execution in the cells above does not necessarily have to follow the steps as illustrated. The outcome achieved above may be accomplished by combining the code as follows.

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However, the output for the combined operation may be different
  than the result obtained by proceeding stepwise. This is because
  the combined operation performs imputations before the range check.
  print(dfz)
  dfz3 = deepcopy(dfz)
  print('-
  dfz3.dftidy(
               fillna=True,
               range_check=True, range_col_ls=['Alpha', 'Date'],
               range_dat_ls=[[0,20],['2023-01-01','2023-08-01']],
               range_resolve=True
   Alpha
                 Date
0
                 NaN
     200
      15 2022-01-01
2
3
     NaN 2023-02-01
     nan 2023-03-01
      20 2023-04-01
5
6
     200
         2023-05-01
      10 2023-06-01
7
8
          2023-07-01
q
       М
          2023-08-01
       5
10
do_null_vals: True
search_ls : ['NaN', 'nan', 'unknown', 'NA', 'na', 'N/A', 'M', '', ' ']

*** Done replacing missing value variants in ['NaN', 'nan', 'unknown', 'NA', 'na', 'N/A', 'M', '', ' '] wit
h np.nan. Total replacements made: 3.
search_col : None
search_str : None
replace_val : None
null counts : [3, 3]
uniq counts : [6, 8]
Summary of metric choice for null value replacement:
     col metric
                       value
0 Alpha
                         5.0
          mode
           mode 2022-01-01
*** Proceeding to treat null values...
*** Done replacing null values in dataframe.
*** No encoding was performed.
data_range : [0, 20]
            : [0, 20]
*** Attempting numeric conversion of the target column for check_range()...
*** Done converting column 'Alpha' to numeric dtype.
*** Proceeding with range check...
*** Found 2 range violations.
*** Proceeding to resolve range violations...
*** Done!
*** Warning! Found string type in data_range. Attempting to convert to numeric...
*** Numeric conversion failed.
*** Attempting to convert the range elements to datetime...
data_range : [2023-01-01 00:00:00, 2023-08-01 00:00:00] remedy : [2023-01-01 00:00:00, 2023-08-01 00:00:00]
*** Attempting numeric conversion of the target column for check_range()...
An exception of type ValueError occurred (Unable to parse string "2022-01-01" at position 0)...Skipping con
version of column 'Date' to numeric dtype...
*** Attempting datetime conversion of string elements in the target column for check range()...
*** Done converting column 'Date' to datetime dtype.
*** Proceeding with range check...
*** Found 4 range violations.
*** Proceeding to resolve range violations...
*** Done!
*** Proceeding with outlier detection using ensemble method...
*** Done converting column 'Alpha' to numeric dtype.
An exception of type TypeError occurred (Invalid object type at position 0)...Skipping conversion of column
'Date' to numeric dtype...
out_ls : ['Alpha']
idx_ls : [[1, 5, 6]]
*** Found common row indexes across outliers: [1, 5, 6]
Table showing column values corresponding to row indexes that may be
associated with outliers (outlier columns are denoted by an asterisk)
    Alpha*
```

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NUW
       1
               20 2023-01-01
       5
               20 2023-04-01
       6
               20 2023-05-01
Out[6]:
            Alpha
                        Date
                5 2023-01-01
         0
               20 2023-01-01
         1
         2
               15 2023-01-01
         3
                5 2023-02-01
         4
                5 2023-03-01
               20 2023-04-01
         5
               20 2023-05-01
         6
               10 2023-06-01
         8
                0 2023-07-01
         9
                5 2023-08-01
        10
                5 2023-01-01
In [7]:
         Let's redo the combined operation, using the `median` as
         the imputation method in dftidy().
         111
         print(dfz)
         dfz3 = deepcopy(dfz)
         print('---
         dfz3.dftidy(
                     fillna=True, metric='median',
                     range_check=True, range_col_ls=['Alpha', 'Date'],
                     range_dat_ls=[[0,20],['2023-01-01','2023-08-01']],
                     range_resolve=True
          Alpha
                       Date
                        NaN
            200
       1
       2
             15
                 2022-01-01
                 2023-02-01
       3
            NaN
            nan 2023-03-01
       5
             20 2023-04-01
       6
            200 2023-05-01
       7
             10 2023-06-01
       8
              0
                2023-07-01
       9
              Μ
                 2023-08-01
       10
                        NaN
       seed
                   : 100
       do_null_vals: True
       search_ls : ['NaN', 'nan', 'unknown', 'NA', 'na', 'N/A', 'M', '', ' ']
       *** Done replacing missing value variants in ['NaN', 'nan', 'unknown', 'NA', 'na', 'N/A', 'M', '', ' '] wit
       h np.nan. Total replacements made: 3.
       search_col : None
search_str : None
       replace_val : None
       null counts : [3, 3]
       uniq counts : [6, 8]
       Summary of metric choice for null value replacement:
            col metric
                              value
       0 Alpha median
                               10.0
          Date median 2023-04-01
       *** Proceeding to treat null values...
       *** Done replacing null values in dataframe.
       *** No encoding was performed.
       data_range : [0, 20]
                   : [0, 20]
       *** Attempting numeric conversion of the target column for check_range()...
       *** Done converting column 'Alpha' to numeric dtype.
       *** Proceeding with range check...
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*** Found 2 range violations.
       *** Proceeding to resolve range violations...
       *** Done!
       *** Warning! Found string type in data_range. Attempting to convert to numeric...
       *** Numeric conversion failed.
       *** Attempting to convert the range elements to datetime...
       data_range : [2023-01-01 00:00:00, 2023-08-01 00:00:00] remedy : [2023-01-01 00:00:00, 2023-08-01 00:00:00]
       *** Attempting numeric conversion of the target column for check_range()...
       An exception of type ValueError occurred (Unable to parse string "2023-04-01" at position 0)...Skipping con
       version of column 'Date' to numeric dtype...
       *** Attempting datetime conversion of string elements in the target column for check_range()...
       *** Done converting column 'Date' to datetime dtype.
       *** Proceeding with range check...
       *** Found 1 range violations.
       *** Proceeding to resolve range violations...
       *** Done!
       *** Proceeding with outlier detection using ensemble method...
       *** Done converting column 'Alpha' to numeric dtype.
       An exception of type TypeError occurred (Invalid object type at position 0)...Skipping conversion of column
       'Date' to numeric dtype...
       out_ls : ['Alpha']
       idx_ls : [[1, 5, 6]]
       *** Found common row indexes across outliers: [1, 5, 6]
       Table showing column values corresponding to row indexes that may be
       associated with outliers (outlier columns are denoted by an asterisk)
           Alpha*
                          Date
       Row
       1
                20
                   2023-04-01
       5
               20
                  2023-04-01
               20 2023-05-01
       6
            Alpha
                         Date
                5 2023-04-01
          1
               20 2023-04-01
         2
               15 2023-01-01
               10 2023-02-01
         3
         Δ
               10 2023-03-01
               20 2023-04-01
         5
         6
               20 2023-05-01
         7
               10 2023-06-01
                0 2023-07-01
         8
         9
               10 2023-08-01
        10
                5 2023-04-01
In [8]:
         111
         Let's redo the combined operation, using the `knn` as
         the imputation method in dftidy(). Change k, the number
         of nearest neighbors (precursors and successors) to a
         missing value from the default of 3 to 2.
         print(dfz)
         dfz4 = deepcopy(dfz)
         print('-
         dfz4.dftidy(
                      fillna=True, metric='knn', k=2,
                      range_check=True, range_col_ls=['Alpha', 'Date'],
                      range_dat_ls=[[0,20],['2023-01-01','2023-08-01']],
                      range_resolve=True
          Alpha
                        Date
                        NaN
```

```
1
            200
       2
             15 2022-01-01
       3
            NaN
                 2023-02-01
            nan 2023-03-01
       4
       5
             20 2023-04-01
       6
            200 2023-05-01
                 2023-06-01
                 2023-07-01
       8
       9
                 2023-08-01
       10
              5
                        NaN
       seed
                    : 100
       do_null_vals: True
       search_ls : ['NaN', 'nan', 'unknown', 'NA', 'na', 'N/A', 'M', '', ' ']
*** Done replacing missing value variants in ['NaN', 'nan', 'unknown', 'NA', 'na', 'N/A', 'M', '', ' '] wit
       h np.nan. Total replacements made: 3.
       search_col : None
       search_str
                   : None
       replace_val : None
       null counts : [3, 3]
       uniq counts : [6, 8]
       Summary of metric choice for null value replacement:
            col metric
                                                                       value
       0 Alpha
                                            ([3, 4, 9], [20.0, 15.0, 10.0])
          Date
                    knn ([0, 1, 10], [2022-01-01, 2023-02-01, 2023-07-...
       *** Proceeding to treat null values...
       *** Done replacing null values in dataframe.
       *** No encoding was performed.
       data_range : [0, 20]
       remedy
                    : [0, 20]
       *** Attempting numeric conversion of the target column for check_range()...
       *** Done converting column 'Alpha' to numeric dtype.
       *** Proceeding with range check...
       *** Found 2 range violations.
       *** Proceeding to resolve range violations...
       *** Done!
       *** Warning! Found string type in data_range. Attempting to convert to numeric...
       *** Numeric conversion failed.
       *** Attempting to convert the range elements to datetime...
       data_range : [2023-01-01 00:00:00, 2023-08-01 00:00:00]
                    : [2023-01-01 00:00:00, 2023-08-01 00:00:00]
       *** Attempting numeric conversion of the target column for check range()...
       An exception of type ValueError occurred (Unable to parse string "2022-01-01" at position 0)...Skipping con
       version of column 'Date' to numeric dtype...
       *** Attempting datetime conversion of string elements in the target column for check_range()...
       *** Done converting column 'Date' to datetime dtype.
       *** Proceeding with range check...
       *** Found 2 range violations.
       *** Proceeding to resolve range violations...
       *** Done!
       *** Proceeding with outlier detection using ensemble method...
       *** Done converting column 'Alpha' to numeric dtype.
       An exception of type TypeError occurred (Invalid object type at position 0)...Skipping conversion of column
       'Date' to numeric dtype...
       out_ls : ['Alpha']
       idx_ls : [[0, 8, 10]]
       *** Found common row indexes across outliers: [0, 8, 10]
       Table showing column values corresponding to row indexes that may be
       associated with outliers (outlier columns are denoted by an asterisk)
           Alpha*
                          Date
       Row
       0
                    2023-01-01
       8
                    2023-07-01
       10
                 5
                    2023-07-01
Out[8]:
            Alpha
                         Date
         0
                5 2023-01-01
          1
               20 2023-02-01
          2
               15 2023-01-01
               20 2023-02-01
         4
               15 2023-03-01
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20 2023-04-01

20 2023-05-01

5

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10 2023-06-01
                 0 2023-07-01
          9
                10 2023-08-01
         10
                 5 2023-07-01
In [10]: | print([(c, dfz[c].dtype.type.__name__) for c in dfz.columns])
        [('Alpha', 'object_'), ('Date', 'object_')]
In [19]: | ...
          Clean and transform the given dataframe by performing the
          following operations with dftidy():
          - (1) remove duplicate rows.
          - (2) search for missing value variants and replace them with
                 np.nan.
          - (3) impute missing values using the metric='knn' and k=2.
          - (4) encode categorical candidates (columns).
          - (5) convert 'Date' column from object to datetime data type.
                 split 'Date' column into temporal elements, including
          - (6)
                 weekly and quarterly time components.
          - (7)
                 generate temporal features based on the 'Date' column.
          - (8) identify and remove outliers.
          - (9) scale numerical column(s) using RS from scikit-learn.
          - (10) round dataframe numerical values to 3 decimal places.
          - (11) save the tidied dataframe in a csv file.
          Note:
          - The resultant dataframe has 10 rows because 1 duplicate row
           with index 10 was removed in the source dataframe with #1.
          111
          print([(c, dfz[c].dtype.type.__name__) for c in dfz.columns])
          dfz5 = deepcopy(dfz)
          print('---
          dfz5 = dfz5.dftidy(
                             drop_copies=True,
                                                                           # 1
                             fillna=True, metric='knn', k=2,
                                                                          # 2 and 3
                             enc_type='cat',
                                                                          # 4
                             date_type='datetime',
                             date_split=True, week=True, quarter=True,
                             gen_cyclicals=True,
                             outdel=True,
                                                                          # 9
                             scaling=True, scaler='rs',
                             rounding=3,
                                                                           # 10
                             save_to_csv=True
                                                                           # 11
          dfz5
           Alpha
                        Date
        0
                         NaN
              5
             200
        1
             15 2022-01-01
NaN 2023-02-01
        2
        3
             nan 2023-03-01
             20 2023-04-01
        5
             200 2023-05-01
        6
              10 2023-06-01
        7
              0 2023-07-01
             M 2023-08-01
        9
                       NaN
        10
        [('Alpha', 'object_'), ('Date', 'object_')]
                   : 100
        seed
        do_null_vals: True
        search_ls : ['NaN', 'nan', 'unknown', 'NA', 'na', 'N/A', 'M', '', ' ']
        *** Done removing 1 duplicate row corresponding to the original row index in [10].
        *** Row count has dropped from 11 to 10 as a result of removing row copies.
        *** Done replacing missing value variants in ['NaN', 'nan', 'unknown', 'NA', 'na', 'N/A', 'M', '', ' '] wit
        h np.nan. Total replacements made: 3.
        search_col : None
```

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search_str : None
replace_val : None
null counts : [3, 2]
uniq counts : [6, 8]
Summary of metric choice for null value replacement:
     col metric
                     ([3, 4, 9], [20.0, 15.0, 10.0])
0 Alpha
             knn ([0, 1], [2022-01-01, 2023-02-01])
1 Date
*** Proceeding to treat null values...
*** Done replacing null values in dataframe.
*** Checking for datetime pattern in column data before encoding...
*** Found object dtype column(s) (namely, ['Date']) that comprise data with a likely datetime pattern.
*** Done converting column 'Date' to datetime dtype.
enc type: cat
*** Warning! Perform encoding only after null values in the dataframe have been treated.
*** Warning! Since no columns are specified, encoding is proceeding autonomously.
*** Encoding process completed.
*** Done splitting date col(s) and generating cyclicals.
*** Proceeding with outlier detection using ensemble method...
*** Done converting column 'Alpha' to numeric dtype.
*** Done converting column 'Date_m_sin' to numeric dtype.
*** Done converting column 'Date_m_cos' to numeric dtype.
*** Done converting column 'Date_W_sin' to numeric dtype.
*** Done converting column 'Date_W_cos' to numeric dtype.
out_ls : ['Alpha', 'Date_m_sin', 'Date_m_cos', 'Date_W_sin', 'Date_W_cos'] idx_ls : [[1, 6], [5], [8], [4, 6, 9], [0, 2, 7]]
*** Found no common row indexes across outliers.
ncnames: ['Alpha', 'Date_m_sin', 'Date_m_cos', 'Date_W_sin', 'Date_W_cos']
Scaler: RobustScaler (rs)
*** Done scaling the numerical col(s) in the dataframe.
*** Done saving to csv file: 2024-07-11_18-56-30_tidy_data.csv.
    Alpha Date_m_sin Date_m_cos Date_W_sin Date_W_cos
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0	-1.0	-0.646	0.457	0.000	0.677
1	18.5	0.000	0.376	-0.571	-0.375
2	0.0	-0.646	0.457	0.000	0.677
3	0.5	0.000	0.376	-0.571	-0.375
4	0.0	0.473	0.152	1.030	0.468
5	0.5	0.646	-0.152	-1.284	-0.000
6	18.5	0.473	-0.457	0.571	-0.375
7	-0.5	0.000	-0.680	-0.000	0.677
8	-1.5	-0.646	-0.762	-0.571	-0.375
9	-0.5	-1.291	-0.680	1.284	0.000

In [20]:

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The dftidy method also offers the functionality to run
multiple tidying operations autonomously, without
human input, by passing auto=True in dftidy(). The
autonomously generated and human-directed results may
differ mainly due to the choice of the imputation \ensuremath{\mathsf{method}}
used. Currently, the former uses the mode to make null
value substitutions. A future update of dftidy() will
seek to deploy machine learning to determine the apt
imputation method for the given data.
111
print(dfz)
dfX = deepcopy(dfz)
dfX = dfX.dftidy(auto=True)
dfX
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Alpha
                          Date
         0
                           NaN
         1
              200
         2
               15
                   2022-01-01
         3
              NaN 2023-02-01
                   2023-03-01
              nan
                   2023-04-01
         5
               20
                  2023-05-01
         7
               10
                  2023-06-01
         8
                   2023-07-01
         9
                   2023-08-01
                М
         10
                           NaN
                      : 100
         do_null_vals: True
                    : ['NaN', 'nan', 'unknown', 'NA', 'na', 'N/A', 'M', '', ' ']
         search_ls
         *** Done removing 1 duplicate row corresponding to the original row index in [10].
         *** Row count has dropped from 11 to 10 as a result of removing row copies.
         *** Done replacing missing value variants in ['NaN', 'nan', 'unknown', 'NA', 'na', 'N/A', 'M', '', ' '] wit
         h np.nan. Total replacements made: 3.
         search_col : None
         search_str : None
         replace_val : None
         *** Done converting column 'Alpha' to numeric dtype.
         An exception of type ValueError occurred (Unable to parse string "2022-01-01" at position 2)...Skipping con
         version of column 'Date' to numeric dtype...
         null counts: [3, 2]
         uniq counts : [6, 8]
         Summary of metric choice for null value replacement:
              col metric
                                value
         0 Alpha mode
                                200.0
                    mode 2022-01-01
            Date
         *** Proceeding to treat null values...
         *** Done replacing null values in dataframe.
         *** Categorical column determination of fearures based on pcat_ceil suggests columns in [] as likely catego
         rical features.
         *** Datetime pattern found in 'Date'. This column will be excluded by dfbcat_algo.
         *** Categorical column determination of fearures based on bcat_algo recalibration suggests columns in [] as
         likely categorical features.
         *** That none of the features is categorical is more likely than not.
         *** Checking for datetime pattern in column data before encoding...
         *** Found object dtype column(s) (namely, ['Date']) that comprise data with a likely datetime pattern.
         *** Done converting column 'Date' to datetime dtype.
         enc_type: cat
         *** Warning! Perform encoding only after null values in the dataframe have been treated.
         *** Warning! Since no columns are specified, encoding is proceeding autonomously.
         *** Encoding process completed.
         *** Done splitting date \operatorname{col}(s) and generating cyclicals.
         *** Proceeding with outlier detection using ensemble method...
         *** Done converting column 'Alpha' to numeric dtype.
        *** Done converting column 'Date_m_sin' to numeric dtype.
*** Done converting column 'Date_m_cos' to numeric dtype.
         *** Done converting column 'Date_W_sin' to numeric dtype.
        *** Done converting column 'Date_W_cos' to numeric dtype.
out_ls: ['Alpha', 'Date_m_sin', 'Date_m_cos', 'Date_W_sin', 'Date_W_cos']
idx_ls: [[1, 3, 4, 6, 9], [5], [8], [5], [3, 6, 8]]
         *** Found no common row indexes across outliers.
         ncnames: ['Alpha', 'Date_m_sin', 'Date_m_cos', 'Date_W_sin', 'Date_W_cos']
         Scaler: RobustScaler (rs)
         *** Done scaling the numerical col(s) in the dataframe.
         *** Done saving to csv file: 2024-07-11_20-48-03_tidy_data.csv.
Out[20]:
              Alpha Date_m_sin Date_m_cos Date_W_sin Date_W_cos
          0 -0.556
                          -0.323
                                        0.431
                                                    0.000
                                                                 0.462
             0.477
                          -0.323
                                        0.431
                                                    0.000
                                                                0.462
          2 -0.503
                          -0.323
                                        0.431
                                                    0.000
                                                                0.462
                           0.323
                                                   -0.667
          3
              0.477
                                       0.354
                                                                -0.636
              0.477
                           0.795
                                        0.144
                                                    1.201
                                                                0.244
            -0.477
                           0.968
                                       -0.144
                                                   -1.498
                                                                -0.244
                           0.795
             0.477
                                       -0.431
                                                    0.667
                                                                -0.636
```